

extract of Padina pavonica is incorporated into a support or vehicle appropriate for topical preparations in an oily phase, or dry.

Claim 6 (twice amended) The method of claim 3 wherein the extract of Padina pavonica is incorporated into a solution of polyethylene glycol containing a dispersant or a surfactant, and in which a silicone oil is added to the solution by produce a fluid emulsion.

Claim 9 (twice amended) The method of claim 12 wherein the concentration of extract of Padina pavonica is up to 200,000 Units (UA) per liter.

Claim 10 (twice amended) The method of claim 3 wherein the Padina pavonica extract content is 20 to 80,000 Unites of activity (UA) per kg of active principle on a support, per kg of final topical composition.

Please add the following claims:

--13. The method of claim 12, wherein a culture media is further used to increase the maturation of Keratinocytes.

14. The method of claim 5, wherein the active extract of algae Padina pavonica ranges from 0.1 to 200 g per kg of the composition.

15. The method of claim 14, wherein the active extract of algae Padina pavonica ranges from 4 to 150 g per kg of the composition.--